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## **PANSW STATEMENT ON FAIR PAY**

The Police Association of New South Wales (PANSW) is aware of conjecture around the recent redetermination of the Commissioner of Police's salary.

The determination was made by the Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Tribunal (SORT), an independent tribunal established by statute. That independent decision should be respected by all parties.

Police deal in evidence daily and present it to courts and tribunals. The PANSW respects the decision of the independent bodies. SORT examined evidence including work value, the industry environment and change in work practices.

The PANSW simply asks, as we have since 2011, for all police officers to have access to an independent umpire, namely the NSW Industrial Relations Commission, to determine their wages and conditions.

The Premier reportedly supported the Commissioner's pay rise and all police officers should enjoy that same support. They have been on the front line of every emergency from bushfires and floods to the current pandemic. We look forward to the Government's support for a fair pay deal for police.

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